

3.7.3 2006 Top Supermarkets, by Sales

<u>Supermarket</u>	<u>2006 All Commodity Volume (millions)</u>	<u>No. of Stores (> \$2 million in sales)</u>	<u>Square Feet Selling Area (thousands)</u>
Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.	126.7	2401	149,366
Kroger Co.	59.8	2459	103,493
Supervalu, Inc.	34.0	1718	70,068
Safeway, Inc.	33.7	1526	55,707
Ahold USA (Stop and Shop, Giant)	24.2	786	33,995
Publix Super Markets, Inc.	20.2	901	33,505
Delhaize America, Inc. (Food Lion)	17.3	1560	46,504
H.E. Butt Grocery Co. (HEB)	11.2	276	13,474
Winn-Dixie Stores, Inc.	8.5	522	24,180
Meijer, Inc.	7.3	176	10,397

Note(s): All commodity volume in this example represents the annualized range of the estimated retail sales volume of all items sold at a retail site that pass through the retailer's cash registers. TDLinx ACV is an estimate based on best available data—a directional measure to be used as an indicator of store and account size, not an actual retail sales report". (Progressive Grocer)

Source(s): TDLinx. Progressive Grocer Super 50. March 2007. www.progressivegrocer.com.